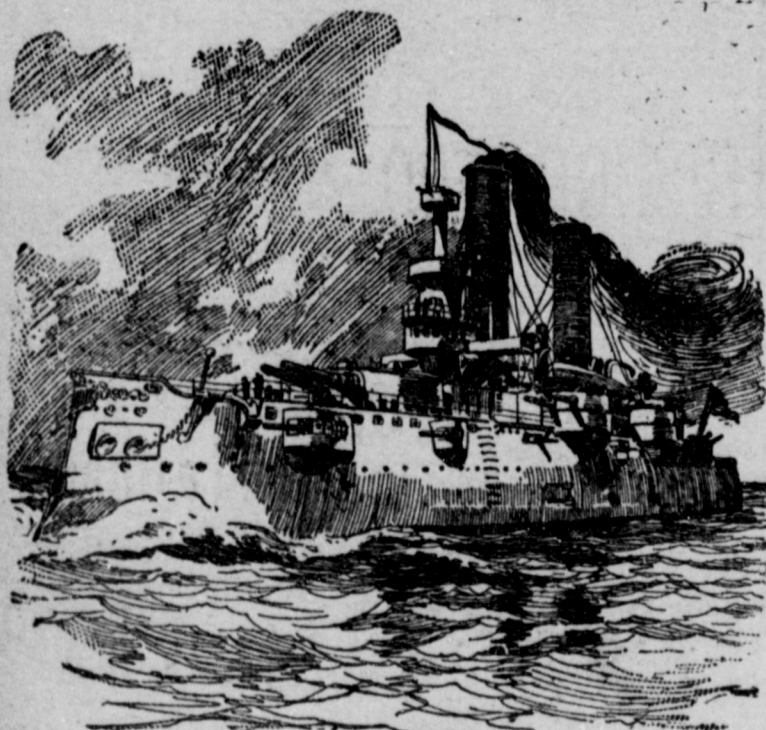


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### BREAKING CAMP THOMAS.

Chickamauga Park Being Rapidly  
Deserted by the Troops of the  
Regular Army.

#### ALL HEADED FOR TAMPA AND MOBILE.

Routine of Camp Life Suspended and All  
Time and Attention Given to Prepara-  
tion for Departure--Busy Times Load-  
ing the Transport Vessels at Tampa,  
Etc.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 11.--Camp George H. Thomas, at Chickamauga park, is rapidly undergoing demolition. At daybreak the work of breaking camp was begun by a number of the regiments, and in a few hours thereafter, places which have been covered with white tents for some time, were again vacant and deserted. Officers and men of all regiments now remaining are giving their time and attention to the preparations for departure, and the regular routine of camp life has been entirely suspended. The first troops out were those of the Third Cavalry. They were loaded on special trains at Knoxville about nine o'clock, and started through to Tampa over the Southern railway. The Sixth Cavalry got out a few hours later, going to Tampa over the same route. The two regiments are under the command of Gen. S. S. Sumner. The Second Cavalry, under Col. Hunt, will probably set out for Mobile later in the day, and the First and Tenth Cavalry, under Col. Baldwin, will leave about the same time for New Orleans. Two of the infantry

### OTHERWISE UNNOTICED

The treasury is short of currency,  
and is paying out gold.

Fourteen cents was clipped off the price of July wheat Tuesday.

A divorce was granted to Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, the authoress.

Three desperate post office robbers have been arrested at Pierce City, Mo.

Fishermen off the grand banks of Newfoundland come in for fear of Spanish warships.

Japanese officials have arrived to take home the two cruisers built in this country for Japan.

The transport Gussie sailed from Tampa, Fla., Tuesday, with food and ammunition for the Cubans.

Senor de la Costina, American representative of Don Carlos, has left New York to join his leader in Europe.

Three men of the Second Regiment Missouri national guard backed out when it came to the final test of muster.

H. H. Grimmer, of Co. F, Fifth Illinois Infantry, who took sick while in camp at Springfield and was sent home to Quincy, died Tuesday.

Tonkin papers (under French direction) denounce the Americans as encroaching upon the Latin race.

Most Rev. J. S. Perry, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Iowa, has been gazetted chaplain of the grand priory of Hospitalers of St. John at Jerusalem.

Since the blockade of Havana was decreed, it is next to impossible to sustain life within its walls. The personal danger of non-combatants is increasing.

At Ora, Va., Lenk V. White committed suicide by hanging. Near relatives having become involved in a brutal murder is supposed to have led to his act.

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### FIRE AT PHILADELPHIA.

Three Persons, and Perhaps More,  
Perished in the Flames--  
Bodies Burned to a Char.

#### THE LOSS WILL REACH HALF A MILLION.

The Fire Originated in McCadden Bros. Toy and Fireworks Establishment, and Spread to the Reading Hardware Co. National Wall Paper Co. and the Brainerd & Armstrong Spool Silk Co.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.--Three persons are known to have lost their lives, and it is feared that others may have perished, in a fire which originated in

### MOVEMENT AGAINST CUBA.

It May Start Within Forty-Eight  
Hours if There is No Spanish  
Fleet to be Looked After.

#### NO DIFFICULTY AT LANDING EXPECTED.

The Water Problem at Key West a Serious  
One--The Big Government Condenser  
Not Yet in Operation--Three Customers  
for Every Gallon of the Fluid Procurable.

KEY WEST, Fla., May 11.--It is said here that if the report that the Spanish fleet has returned to Spain proves to be correct an active movement against Cuba may occur within 48 hours. It is possible that Rear-Admiral Sampson at Porto Rico and Commodore Remy here may strike simultaneously.

It was decided to land troops at Bahai Honda, Matanzas or any other point, the vessels here, together with the ships on the blockading station, would have no difficulty in covering a landing with the aid of the heavy armored fighting ships.

The monitors, with their heavy guns, could stand close in, and with impunity proceed to the demolition of the fortifications, while the gunboats and lighter vessels poured in their shots from off shore.

Naval officers here believe the defenses at any point, except Havana, could be reduced by the ships now here and on the Cuban station in half an hour.

There is no definite information as to when the troops at Tampa will be embarked.

### THE NEW MAJOR GENERALS APPOINTED BY PRESIDENT M'KINLEY.



regiments will march nine miles to Ringgold and take cars for Tampa Thursday morning. The three remaining will follow as rapidly as possible. The indications are now that all the commands with their equipments will be gone before noon. The contract for conveying the troops to Tampa has been divided between the Southern and Western Atlantic. The Southern will carry all destined for New Orleans and Mobile. The railroads are doing excellent work, and are giving the officials every assistance in rushing the troops out.

**BUSY TIMES AT KEY WEST.**  
Loading the Transports with Munitions for the Cuban Campaign.

TAMPA, Fla., May 11.--Everything possible is being done to facilitate the work of loading the transports at Port Tampa with ammunition and supplies for the expedition. All Tuesday night and all day hundreds of men were kept busy unloading the war material from the freight cars and carefully stowing it away. This part of the work will be practically concluded by Thursday night, and the ships now in the slip will drop anchor in the bay to make room for other transports. The Orizaba is expected up from quarantine Thursday. This is one of the largest transports engaged by the government, and will be used for carrying infantry.

A number of Hotchkiss quick-firing and Gatling guns have been loaded on the Florida. The big siege guns, four of which have arrived here, have not yet been unloaded from the cars. They will be loaded on some of the larger vessels, probably the Alamo or Orizaba.

Lieut. J. D. Miley, of Gen. Shafter's staff, who was sent to Washington Saturday with the reports of Capt. Dost and Lieut.-Col. Lawton and the plans for the Cuban campaign, has returned, bearing with him a big bundle of maps and documents, and immediately reported to Gen. Shafter. It is now believed that the two Cuban regiments will accompany the regular troops to Cuba. They have all been armed with Springfield rifles, and under almost incessant drilling, are rapidly being pounded into shape.

**LOOKING FOR REPUBLICAN ITALY.**  
PARIS, May 11.--The correspondents in Rome of the newspapers of this city all affirm a revolution in Italy is imminent, and that the popular rising throughout the country will not long be delayed. The news causes great satisfaction here, where a republican Italy is regarded as a natural friend of France and as an enemy of the dread-bird.

**ANXIOUSLY WAITING.**  
Both Regulars and Volunteers at New Orleans on Tender Hooks.

NEW ORLEANS, May 11.--Officers at the fair grounds of both the regular and volunteer forces are waiting anxiously for some news of the progress of the press despatches intimating that troops are to be sent to Cuba very shortly. If any orders have been received, however, they have not yet been received here.

The work of mustering the Louisiana guards is progressing rapidly, and their regiment of volunteers is also steadily being increased in numbers. The announcement that Iowa, Illinois and Indiana troops have been ordered to New Orleans has stirred the officers at the fair grounds to activity, and preparations are being made for the encampment of the western troops, provided that they are to remain here for any length of time before taking transports for the islands. The grounds and accommodations here are ample for several thousand troops that have been ordered to New Orleans.

The Spaniards in Havana, on April 29, celebrated the capture of Mobile, Boston, Charleston and Pensacola by their fleet, according to a private letter received at Mobile.

Liggett & Myers, the big St. Louis tobacco firm, will send, by the City of Pekin, from San Francisco, a large consignment of tobacco as a gift to Admiral Dewey's sailors.

Tuesday was a moderate decoration day. The graves of 9,000 Confederate dead at Chattanooga, Tenn., were strewn with flowers in the presence of thousands of citizens.

The band of the First Regiment Missouri national guard refused to enlist unless guaranteed \$3 a day. They were ineffectually fired, and a volunteer band is being organized.

William A. Aubrey de Vere Beauchamp, tenth duke of St. Albans, hereditary grand falconer of England and captain of her majesty's yeoman of the guard, is dead. He was born in 1840.

The reconcentrados in Havana have been thrown into the gutter. The tons of food sent them by the Cuban relief committee has been seized by the government and used to feed the soldiers.

Mat Lawrence and John Duane, who attempted to rob the Ponca Indian safe some weeks ago, were sentenced at Perry, Okla., to five years in the penitentiary. They pleaded guilty.

The volunteers, it is said, will attack all Cuban-Americans in Havana, as soon as the Americans fire the first shot, and slay them mercilessly. There are about 320 sentenced to torture, according to a circulated list.

The president, it is understood, intends that Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, the minister to Madrid, shall retain his diplomatic capacity, to return to Madrid after the war is brought to a close and diplomatic relations are restored.

Spanish sympathizers in the vicinity of Laguna, in Valencia county, N. M., have been trying to incite the Indians to an uprising against this government by telling them that the king of Spain was coming over to reconquer the country.

**THE FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.**  
(First Regular Session.)  
SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 11.--When the senate convened the national quarantine bill was displaced as the unfinished business and the bill to provide for taking the twelfth and subsequent censuses substituted. The census bill, and it is thought that not more than six persons at the outside, and possibly only the three whose bodies have already been recovered, lost their lives. The total loss will reach about \$500,000, well covered by insurance.

**THE WATER PROBLEM AT KEY WEST.**  
The water problem is getting serious at this place. Naval officers recognize it, and they are looking anxiously for the smoke from the stack of the big government condenser which is promised to supply 40,000 gallons daily per contract. The plant should have started April 25, but it is not yet in operation. The officers in charge of this station are skeptical of the condenser's ability to produce 20,000 gallons. Key West's water resources are most primitive and limited. The shallow wells in town are all more or less brackish, and under suspicion of surface drainage. The companies at various times have driven artesian wells 1,500 and 2,200 feet deep, but they have not secured fresh water. The town lives by cisterns and rain barrels, and the latter are only a shade less unsanitary than the wells. The cisterns, filled during the rainy season, usually run very low by the close of the dry season, which is now due. This year, in addition to the rains coming very late to the town had its population doubled by the presence of troops, ships and war vessels, and the army of newspaper correspondents and their tugs, which take water by the thousand gallons, not only for themselves, but for their boilers. Of course the war vessels and some of the hospital and other craft have condensers, but the draft on the town's supply is still abnormal. The torpedo boats are without condensing apparatus, and they have been scouting after fresh water as keenly as buccaniers after Spanish galleons. Every discovery of a fresh cistern is hailed like the strike in the Klondike, and every gallon of water has three purchasers, all with money and anxious to outfit each other.

**DESTROYER DISAPPEARED.**  
A Spanish Torpedo Boat Destroyer Reported to Have Blown Up and All Hands Lost Near Gibraltar.

LONDON, May 11.--A dispatch to the Globe from Gibraltar says a British steamer which has just arrived there reports officially that she passed, Tuesday evening, a Spanish torpedo boat destroyer which was guarding Algerian bay and straits. Shortly after the steamer passed her, all the lights of the destroyer were suddenly extinguished, a terrific explosion followed immediately and the destroyer disappeared.

The disaster, the dispatch adds, was apparently caused by the explosion of the boilers of the torpedo boat destroyer. It is feared that all on board of her have perished.

**THE WINDWARD ARRIVES.**  
Pearl's Polar Expedition Steamer Arrives at New York After a Protracted Voyage.

NEW YORK, May 11.--The steamer Windward from London, March 19, was sighted off the Highlands at 8:07 a. m. The Windward is the vessel that carried the Jackson-Harmsworth expedition on its voyage to the polar region. The steamer was recently presented by Mr. Harmsworth to Lieut. R. E. Peary. The passage from London has been so slow that there had been some anxiety felt for

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### REAR-ADMIRAL GEO. DEWEY.

The Gallant Commander of the Asiatic Squadron Formally Nominated as a Rear-Admiral.

WASHINGTON, May 11.--The president sent the nomination of Commodore George Dewey, to be a rear-admiral in the navy, to the senate.

Commodore Dewey was appointed under the provisions of section 1308 of the Revised Statutes, he having, upon the recommendation of the president by name, received the thanks of congress by joint resolution, approved May 10, 1898.

### THE INSURGENTS OF MANILA.

They Are Ordered to Obey Admiral Dewey's Orders--Wealthy Philippine Families Anxious for United States Protection.

NEW YORK, May 11.--A copyright dispatch to the Evening World, dated at Hong Kong, 11th, says:

The Philippine rebel chief, Gen. Aguinaldo, has issued a proclamation to the insurgents of Manila to obey the orders of Admiral Dewey and United States Consul Williams.

Killing still goes on in the outlying districts, where the natives are revenging themselves on the priests and local Spanish officials in spite of the proclamation of Aguinaldo.

Wealthy Philippine families who are leaving Hong Kong for Manila, daily appear before Consul Wilkman here and ask to be allowed to take the oath of allegiance to the United States. The powerful Cortes family insisted on having their prayer for citizenship telegraphed to President McKinley, and offered their places in Manila for the accommodation of American officers.

**ADMIRAL SAMPSON'S FLEET.**  
The Navy Department in Hourly Expectation of Requisitioned Advice From Admiral Sampson.

WASHINGTON, May 11.--The navy department is in almost hourly expectation of advice from Admiral Sampson. What the character of these advice will be, the officials do not intimate, but they expect interesting and important news. It is rather a matter of surprise to them that the press has not already received information from the squadron via St. Thomas and the fleet dispatch boats which accompany Sampson's squadron. Notwithstanding the cable advice to the effect that the Spanish flying squadron has rejoined the Spanish home squadron at Cadiz, the naval strategy board is by no means assured on this point, and it is believed that while Admiral Sampson has been placed in possession of the cable reports, he has been warned not to accept them as absolutely conclusive as yet. In this state of affairs the only prudent course of action by the department would seem to confer upon Admiral Sampson full authority to exercise his own discretion in his movements, and it is believed that this has been done.

**WOMEN THE BEST SOLDIERS.**  
Spanish Cavalry, Charging on a Mob at Logrono, Spain, Repulsed by a Mob of Women.

MADRID, May 11.--A serious riot has taken place at Logrono, capital of the Spanish province of that name, on the Ebro, 60 miles from Burgos. The grain and provision stores were attacked and pillaged by rioters, who included numbers of women, armed with axes, choppers and cudgels. The cavalry charged the mob; but the soldiers were repulsed by a determined onslaught made upon them by the women.

**GUANIE'S EXPEDITION LANDED.**  
NEW YORK, May 11.--A Key West special says that information has reached that place of the landing, within 50 miles of Havana, the expedition under command of Capt. Dost, Fourth Cavalry, which left Tampa Tuesday, on board the transport Gussie.

**Quiet in Camp at Mobile.**  
MOBILE, Ala., May 11.--In the camps of the regulars and volunteers all is quiet. No orders to move have been received at either camp, although the officers are looking for some at any moment, and they are ready to go to the front promptly.

**The Work of a Madrid Mob.**  
LONDON, May 11.--A special dispatch from Madrid says a mob burned a huge warehouse there. The structure is reported to be a total loss.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. James R. Rash was in Madisonville Saturday.

Mrs. J. William Robinson spent Saturday in Madisonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Evans were in Madisonville Saturday.

Attorney Jonson is attending court at Madisonville this week.

Mrs. C. E. Jones and son are spending the week in Louisville.

Miss Mothershead visited Miss Bessie Brown in Madisonville Monday.

Mesdames M. B. Long and Enfield Stevens were in Madisonville Tuesday.

David Adams, the irrepressible news agent, visited the metropolis Tuesday.

Miss Addie Lewton, of Nashville, is visiting Miss Aggie Wyatt this week.

Col. Wash Etheridge, our clever railroad agent, was in the county seat Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. P. B. Davis went to Madisonville Saturday to see the soldier boys off.

Mrs. W. S. Bramwell, of Nashville, spent last Sunday and Monday with relatives here.

Charles Jenkins, the clever tonorial artist, of St. Charles, visited the Bee office yesterday.

Mrs. Margaret Bourland, of this place, and Mrs. Will Bourland, of Dixon, visited Madisonville Monday.

Mesdames A. D. Reese and Vaden Ruby, of Madisonville, spent Monday with Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

Mayor W. F. Burr and daughter went to Madisonville Friday night to hear Rev. Teel address the soldier boys.

On Monday last, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Toy were made happy by the arrival of a little daughter at their home.

Mrs. Fannie Baker, of Paducah, and Mrs. Charles Weber, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., visited relatives and friends here this week.

Burgers have been getting in their work during the past few days in the Silent Run and Dalton country. No clew to the thieves so far.

The farmers report the prospects of a fine wheat crop to be good. There will no doubt be a great demand and a good price for grain this year.

Rev. I. H. Teel addressed the members of Company E, in the Christian church, at Madisonville, Friday night, before their departure for Lexington the day following.

Mr. J. H. Steinberger, formerly of Glasgow, Ky., but more recently of Athens, Ala., has located in Earlington and opened up a first-class jewelry repair shop. When wanting anything done in this line he will be glad to see you. Read his card elsewhere in this issue.

A neat little demonstration was made at Barnsley Thursday last when a Cuban flag which had been made by Charles McFadden was hoisted under Old Glory by an old Union soldier and old Confederate. The former was Sampson Platt, the latter Charles McFadden. Barnsley has sent a contingent to the volunteers and believes in flying the flags.

**Will Go to Cuba.**

John Fox, Jr., who recently gave a reading in Madisonville, has cancelled all the dates that he has for readings, and will go to Cuba to represent the Harpers in their publications.

**Has Contributed.**

Our neighbor, Earlington, has contributed very materially to the comfort of the soldier boys. Besides \$23.00 in money given, there have been other liberal donations. Earlington citizens may always be depended on to do their duty.—Hustler.

**Children's Day.**

Children's day will be observed at the M. E. Church, South, next Sunday. A suitable program, consisting of songs, recitations, etc., is being arranged. This Sunday School has for some years past been observing this day, and the church-going people welcome its coming.

**W. C. T. U. Supper.**

The W. C. T. U.'s gave a very delightful strawberry and ice cream supper last Friday night at Fox's old stand, which was much enjoyed by all those present. Considering the inclement weather the ladies were very well pleased with the proceeds resulting therefrom.

**The Mail Changes Hands.**

Mr. Zeno M. Young, who has been editor and manager of the Twice-a-Week Mail, at Madisonville, since it was launched on journalistic seas, has disposed of his entire interests to Mr. Frank V. Baker, who has been connected with the paper for some time. Mr. Young announces his intention to embark into business elsewhere.

## SOLDIER BOYS AT LEXINGTON.

Some of the Boys are Getting Their First Taste of Soldier Life.

Company E, Captain Burchfield commanding, left Madisonville last Saturday morning, and are now in camp at Lexington with the other companies of the State militia. Some of the boys are now getting their first taste of soldier life, and while of course it is not like being at home, the majority of them seem very well contented with their surroundings, according to letters written back to their parents and friends.

The Madisonville boys were joined at Henderson by Company I, Captain Atkinson commanding, and at Owensboro by Company H, Captain Logan Feland commanding.

The trip to Lexington was made without any accidents to any of the soldiers of the three Pennyrile companies mentioned.

Visitors through the camps daily, and take a great deal of interest in the blue coats.

**Notes.**

The Latham Light Guards of Hopkinsville, Feland's crack company, were presented with a check for \$1,000 by John C. Latham, of New York, who is a native of Hopkinsville. The money is to be used in securing such luxuries as it takes to make a soldier's life pleasant.

One of the privates, in complaining about the grub in camp, was overheard by an ex-Confederate, who made the remark that he fought five days on bullets and water for breakfast, water and bullets for dinner, and bullets without water for supper.

Madisonville turned out en masse to see her brave boys off, as did all the other towns that sent out a company. Many tears were shed, and many were choked with emotion when they bade their brave lads good-bye. The band escorted the boys to the depot, where final good-byes were said and the boys were whirled away to enter the service for their country.

A letter has been received by Mr. H. H. Holeman from Captain Burchfield, in which he says he would like to have eight or ten more good men ready to go at once to Lexington, as he thinks some of the boys can't stand the rigid physical examination. Any one wishing to enter the service should apply to Mr. H. H. Holeman, at Madisonville. The captain also states that there was no fight between any of his men, but that it occurred between members of the Henderson company.

Eldred Davis, of this place, who is a member of Company E, writes back to his mother that he has been made an orderly to Colonel Smith, of the Third. We are glad to see an Earlington boy honored in this way.

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**Ex-Confederate Relief Association.**

The Hopkins county ex-Confederate Relief Association held its annual meeting at Madisonville Monday. There was a very good attendance. The old officers were elected for another year as follows: L. D. Hockersmith, commander; Thomas H. Smith, secretary and adjutant; F. B. Jones, treasurer.

The principal matter discussed was with reference to the suggestion previously made to take steps looking to the erection of an imposing monument in the court house yard, in memory of the Confederate dead of Hopkins county. Room has been allotted in the corner of the court house yard near where the well is, for that purpose. Capt. Hockersmith was appointed committee to look after the matter, and to report at the next meeting, which will be held on the first Monday in August.

**Discovered by a Woman.**

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a woman in this country. "Disease fastened it clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night, and with two bottles has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz."

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Charles F. Havemeyer, son of the late sugar king, Theodore Havemeyer, killed himself Tuesday. No motive for the suicidal act is known.

**The Best Remedy for Rheumatism.**

From the Fairhaven (N. Y.) Register. Mr. James Rowland of this village states that for twenty-five years his wife was a sufferer from rheumatism. A few nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crazy. She sent Mr. Rowland for the doctor, but he had had of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and instead of going for the physician he went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife did not approve of Mr. Rowland's purchase at first, but nevertheless applied the Balm thoroughly and in an hour's time was able to go to sleep. She now applies it whenever she feels an ache or a pain and finds that it always gives relief. He says that no medicine which she had ever used did her as much good. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; George King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap.

## A DASTARDLY

Attempt at Assassination Made Upon Thomas P. Barnes, OF NEBO, THURSDAY NIGHT.

Shot While Eating Supper—Luke Mitchell Arrested for the Crime.

Thomas P. Barnes, of Nebo, while eating his supper last Thursday night, unconscious of impending danger, was shot from ambush by a dastardly assassin.

News of the diabolical attempt at assassination was received at this place by telephone by Marshal Barnett the same night, asking for blood hounds to put on the trail of the dastardly perpetrator. His hound is at Princeton, and a message was then sent to Dawson to wire Greenville for the hounds at that place. A message was hurriedly sent to Will Reynolds, who owns the hounds at that place, and in a few minutes he was on his way to Nebo. He arrived on the scene about 2 o'clock Friday morning, but the rains that fell during the night had washed the trail away, so nothing could be done and he returned to Greenville.

Mr. Barnes is regarded by all his neighbors as a peaceable citizen. He operates what is known as the Barnes coal bank, some three miles from Nebo and has a family.

The shot was from a rifle and struck Mr. Barnes on the jaw badly shattering it. Drs. Bone, Lamb and Ferguson were hastily summoned and dressed the wounded man's injuries.

The scene of this deplorable affair is in the immediate neighborhood of where Trouillas was assassinated in pretty much the same manner about a year ago.

Luke Mitchell was arrested Friday afternoon, charged with having been the party who attempted to assassinate Mr. Barnes Thursday night. He was taken to Nebo and County Judge Hall and Attorney Morrow went to Nebo for the purpose of holding an examining trial. Excitement at Nebo was great and as witnesses could not be secured in time for an examination Friday evening, Mitchell was brought to Madisonville and placed in jail to await the action of the grand jury.

Mitchell had been in the neighborhood only a short time, and was employed by Barnes to work in a coal bank. He had married a woman named Knight whose reputation in the neighborhood was not good. Mr. Barnes had a short while before this refused to rent him a house on account of his wife. It is supposed that this rankled in the bosom of Mitchell and inspired him to seek revenge. He was seen in the neighborhood of Barnes, a short time before the shot was fired and reached his father-in-law's home shortly after the shooting. His father-in-law lives near Barnes. Mitchell had about the only rifle in that neighborhood, and the shot being fired from a rifle is another circumstance directing suspicion against him.

Word was received here yesterday morning that at 5-30 a. m. Mr. Barnes was resting better than usual, but still complaining a great deal of his neck.

**When You are Tired**

Without extra exertion, languid, dull and listless, your blood is failing to supply your muscles and other organs the vitalizing and strengthening properties they require. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures that tired feeling by enriching and purifying the blood. It will give you energy and vigor.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness, etc.

**Cherry's Escapade.**

Zeph Cherry, whose father, Rev. J. T. Cherry, was formerly pastor of the M. E. Church, South, at this place and Madisonville, and who is now at Franklin, Ky., failed to pass the surgical examination at Bowling Green the other day, and was so much put out by it that he, the young patriot, announced to a few of his friends that he would go any way, so he took French leave for Tampa, where he says he will join the soldiers and go to Cuba.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c per box. For Sale by St. Bernard Drug Store.

**Public School Entertainment.**

The public school will close next Friday, the 20th inst., after a successful term. Not only are the little ones looking forward to vacation, but also to the entertainment to be given that evening. Rehearsing has already begun and the program will be composed of songs, recitations, drills, dialogues and tableaux. Earlington people are always interested in these entertainments, and a large attendance is assured.

**Better Than A Klondike Gold Mine.**

Good health is priceless when once lost. When you have a slight cold or cough, take 25c. in a bottle of Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. The returns are greater than a half interest in an Alaskan gold mine, as gold cannot be lost. Beware of a slight cold.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

The American volunteer is not sure whether summer will find him at home, in Cuba or in the Philippines. He is entirely satisfied with the expansiveness of the situation.—Globe-Democrat.

**"It is the Best on Earth."**

That is what Edwards & Parker, merchants of Plains, Ga., say of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, for rheumatism, lame back, deep seated and muscular pains. Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; George King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap.

## WHAT A MOTHER SAYS

Of Dr. Hartman's Famous Family Remedy and Spring Tonic.

Mrs. Hannah Lind, 1133 East Long street, Columbus, Ohio, is one of the many enthusiastic advocates of Pe-r-u-na. She says: "For many years I was subject to nervousness, despondency and neuria, for which doctors and remedies seemed of no use. I was persuaded to try Pe-r-u-na. I found it to be exactly the remedy I had been so long in search of. It relieves the tired, depressed feeling felt in springtime at once. It never fails to restore to me natural appetite and the best of sleep. It has cured permanent my old despondency and neuria, and I wonder why so many people continue to suffer through spring and early summer when Pe-r-u-na is such a prompt and perfect relief. As a family medicine I believe Pe-r-u-na to have no equal." It relieves at once cramps, colic, prostration from heat, the ill-effects of sudden checking of the perspiration, and all other bad effects of hot weather. As a remedy for nervous prostration it has no equal, and the thousands of men and women of this generation who "have nerves" find it a priceless remedy.

Every family should have a copy of "Facts and Faces." Finely illustrated. One of the best books of testimonials ever published. Sent free. Address The Pe-r-u-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.

**Didn't Mean It That Way.**

A Michigan pastor recently surprised his congregation with this announcement: "Remember our quarterly meeting next Sunday. The Lord will be with us during the morning service, and the presiding elder in the evening."

**Yellow Jaundice Cured.**

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months, and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and all to no avail. Dr. Bell, our druggist, then recommended Electric Bitters; and after taking two bottles, I was entirely cured. I now take and recommend them to any person suffering from the terrible malady. I am gratefully yours. M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky." Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

**"Jolly" Bradley.**

"You girls look so sweet," said Bradley Wilson, of the Madisonville soldiers, to a bevy of girls as the train pulled out yesterday; "and just to think, I may never see you again."

One of the girls turned up her nose at his remarks, saying, "Who is that fool?" to which her companions smilingly replied, "He isn't a fool; he's just one of those soldier fellows going to fight and is just having a little fun."

Bradley's make up was excellent. His hair was slicked down and parted in the middle. Also he was adorned with a peck and a half or two pecks of tissue paper flowers, and was out for a jolly time as well as a fight with the Spaniards.—Henderson Gleaner.

The Westfield (Ind.) News prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McAvoy, for many years in the employ of the L. N. & C. Ry here, says: 'I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for ten years or longer—am never without it in my house. I consider it the best remedy of the kind manufactured. I take pleasure in recommending it.' It is a specific for all bowel disorders. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; George King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap.

**Rev. Wise, of Princeton, preached at the Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday, filling the appointment of Rev. D. S. Edwards, who is at Norfolk, Va. Rev. Wise is an eloquent speaker, and the Earlington congregation appreciated his visit.**

**OUR GUARANTEE \$100.00 IN GOLD.**

We will pay One Hundred Dollars in Gold for any and every case of cough and cold where no benefit is derived from the use of Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. It contains nothing injurious and is so pleasant to take. Beware of imitations.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

Grover Long, while riding his bicycle and carrying a sharp pointed fishing pole, ran into Ben Wilson, sticking the pole into his ankle and badly tearing the flesh, causing a painful but not serious injury. Dr. Chatten dressed the wounded member and he will soon round to again.

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Southwestern Kentucky Medical Association will be held in Paducah, May 17 and 18.

Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam is a scientific remedy based on modern discoveries and compounds of chemicals of repute which have given throat and lung diseases a life-saver. Ask your druggist to procure it for you if not in stock. Sold in two sizes, 25c and 50c.

Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store.

**Court Notes.**

Circuit Court has gotten down to its work, and a few cases have been disposed of. The case of the Commonwealth against Walker Wilkey for shooting at with intention to kill Tim McGreggor was disposed of Tuesday afternoon. The defendant was cleared.

The city of Madisonville was fined \$10 and costs for maintaining a nuisance in the way of a sewer.

The case of Mrs. Trouillas for complicity in the murder of her husband, is to come up today.

**Well Machine for Sale.**

I have a good Well Drilling Machine, with ten horse power threshing engine, all in good running order which I will sell reasonably.

RICHARD PALMER, apr 21 St. Charles, Ky.

## KILLED

With a Rock Was Randall Travis, Colored.

LEWIS VAUGHN THE MURDERER.

Both Had Been Drinking and Had a Difficulty With a Serious Ending.

Last Thursday night between six and seven o'clock Lewis Vaughn and Randall Travis, both colored, became involved in a difficulty which resulted in Travis losing his life, and Vaughn is now a fugitive from justice.

It seems that the evidence shows that both had been drinking, and that Travis had made hostile demonstrations toward Vaughn and had hit or slapped a woman friend of his who was present at the time. This aroused Vaughn's anger, and he threw a brick or rock at said Travis, which struck him with such force that it caused his death.

Vaughn, when he saw Travis fall, rushed up to him, and finding him unconscious, immediately skipped out and has not been seen or heard from since.

All parties had been drinking beer, and it seems that the trouble started when Travis invited the woman, who is said to be Vaughn's girl, to drink, and upon her refusal to do so, he hit her, and the scrap was then taken up by Vaughn, with the result above mentioned. The tragedy occurred over near the lake.

**A Man Who is Tired**

All the time, owing to impoverished blood, should take Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify and enrich his blood and give him vitality and vigor.

This condition of weakness and lack of energy is a natural consequence of the coming warmer weather, which finds the system debilitated and the blood impure.

A good spring medicine is a necessity with almost everyone. Hood's Sarsaparilla is what the millions take in the spring. Its great power to purify and enrich the blood and build up the health is one of the facts of common experience.

John Holmes, of Clarksville, Tenn., died at Dawson Springs Friday, aged fifty-one years. He was a contributor to the Clarksville papers over the signature of "Old Man," and once ran a paper at Wickliffe, Ky. He was also connected with the Paducah dailies at intervals.

**COME AND BE HEALED**

**By the World Famous Young Quaker Doctor.**

Dr. L. T. Cooper, the world-famous young Quaker doctor, who has recently visited Madisonville, Providence, Hanson and other surrounding towns, is now in Earlington, with his magnificent remedies and splendid company of minstrel entertainers. He gave an entertainment last night and will remain only a few days, so all wishing to purchase his health-giving remedies had better avail themselves of this opportunity. Every guarantee made good or the money will be cheerfully refunded. The people in the towns before mentioned speak in the highest terms of the doctor and his medicines.

A free entertainment every evening, consisting of chaste, comic, minstrelsy, and nothing to offend the most fastidious. Turn out and hear him.

**Snow at Louisville Friday.**

The Louisville Times of Friday says: "Spring suits and straw hats have been laid aside today and the prospects are that heavy topcoats will be the order until Sunday at least. With the Mercury at 36 and snow falling, Louisville people are getting a taste of May weather, such as they have seldom experienced before."

"The sudden drop in the temperature last night was followed by a greater decline this morning. A heavy storm developed in East Tennessee, and Louisville got on the wrong side of it. The result was high barometer throughout the North, with a decided cold wave. The minimum in Louisville for the morning was 36 degrees, reached at 11 o'clock. The wind attained considerable velocity."

"Shortly before 11 o'clock the snow began to fall. The flakes were large, but on account of the wet condition of the ground, there can be no record of the fall. Snow has fallen in May in Kentucky on several former occasions."

**Pratt for Governor.**

The Courier-Journal says: "Nearly all the Republican newspapers of Western Kentucky are urging the Hon. Clifton J. Pratt, of Madisonville, to become a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, and it is said that he takes the suggestion kindly. Judge Pratt was the last Circuit judge in the district embracing Hopkins and Caldwell counties, among others. He was elected to the office in a Democratic district on account of his high standing and popularity among many Democrats. He is mentally equipped for high office."

**Notice.**

When you need anything in the way of Watch, Clock, or Jewelry repairing, take it to J. H. Steinberger, the jeweler at J. W. Twyman's store, Earlington, Ky. Only first class work done. I also do all kinds of sewing machine and bicycle repairing and keep in stock all kinds of machine needles and repairs and oils and bicycle sundries and repairs and when you need a clock, watch, or spectacles, don't forget that I can furnish you same at hard-time prices. Eyes tested and fitted without extra charges.

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Taking

a course of Ayer's Pills the system is set in good working order and a man begins to feel that life is worth living. He who has become the gradual prey of constipation, does not realize the friction under which he labors, until the burden is lifted from him. Then his mountains sink into mole-hills, his moroseness gives place to jollity, he is a happy man again. If life does not seem worth living to you, you may take a very different view of it after taking

**Ayer's Cathartic Pills.**

**Our Colored Citizens.**

All communications and matters of news pertaining to this column should be addressed to Geo. ALEXANDER, Earlington, Ky.

Mrs. Millie Earl is sick this week.

Prof. T. E. Greer went to Shawanetown, Ill., Sunday night to see his brother-in-law who shot himself.

Simon Dunlap, D. Hargraves, L. Teague and D. Cunningham visited Chickamauga last Sunday.

Remember the grand concert tonight.

John Nurse and family are visiting the family of Tom Earl of this place.

Rev. G. B. Walker is farming this year.

R. Travis was killed last week at this place by Louis Vaughn, who is still at large.

Several of our people went to Madisonville Tuesday.

Miss Billie Larker was married last week to a St. Charles gentleman.

**MORTONS GAP.**

The Sunday schools of this place and Greenville will go to Bakersport next Saturday.

Some of the people from Nortonville and White Plains attended the quarterly meeting here Sunday.

Rev. Merriweather preached Sunday at 3 p. m.

Miss Martha McNary visited Mrs. L. Clemens last week.

Don't fail to come Thursday night to hear the famous prima donna singer, Madam Rosa Tilor, of Chicago, at the Opera House. Admission 10c and 15c.

**NORTONVILLE.**

Our people are busy farming and the prospects are good.

Rev. Weir went to White Plains last week.

Cad Bass and Miss Nancy Clements two highly respected young people, were married last Wednesday at the home of the bride, Rev. Merriweather officiating. The home was beautifully decorated with flowers and a splendid supper was enjoyed by all. They received many nice presents.



He earnestly solicits the patronage of his  
Hopkins county friends